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MEETING OF BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Bonds for School District No. 25, Sold to R. S. Knowles

REAL ESTATE TO BE PUBLISHED

Claims Against Graham County State Road Fund Are Allowed by Board

The board of supervisors held a regular meeting, Monday, November 2d, with all members present.

The minutes of the October regular meeting were read and approved, after which the board proceeded with the regular routine business.

The treasurer was ordered to strike from the 1914 assessment and tax roll the assessment of 134 head of range and stock cattle and three bulls, against V. R. McEuen, on account of error. Mr. McEuen filed an affidavit to the effect that he had not more than 200 head of range and stock cattle.

The six coupon bonds of school district No. 25 (Geronimo), said bonds, numbered one to six, and dated September 9, 1914, each for the sum of two hundred and fifty ($250.00) dollars, now being ready for sale, and R. S. Knowles having offered fifteen hundred ($1500.00) dollars par value, with accrued interest, for the said six bonds; on motion duly put and carried the said offer was accepted and the county treasurer was ordered to deliver the said bonds to R. S. Knowles upon the payment of fifteen hundred ($1,500.00) dollars, lawful money of the United States, and the accrued interest from the date of issue to the date of sale, and the treasurer was further ordered to place the said fifteen hundred ($1,500.00) dollars to the credit of the building fund of said school district No. 25.

By motion duly put and carried, an indigent allowance of $15.00 per month was given to Mrs. Abbie Mecham, said allowance to date from October 1, 1914.

The following warrants against the general school fund in favor of County School Superintendent J. A. Woods, were approved by the board: salary, $100.00; expense, $17.00.

Upon application being made County School Superintendent J. A. Woods was granted a leave of absence for a period of sixty days, said leave to date from November 2, 1914.

The reports for the several county and precinct officials for the month of September were reported checked by the clerk and were approved by the board.

A list of the real estate held by the State by tax deed situated in Graham county was submitted to the board, and the clerk was ordered to prepare said list for publication as required by Paragraph 4936, of Chapter 7, Title 49, Revised Statutes of Arizona, 1913.

The following claims against the Graham county State road fund were reported approved by the chairman of the board on the following dates, to-wit: No. 3967, for $206.65; No. 3967½, for $423.75, and No. 3968 for $88.90, approved October 6, 1914. No. 4127, for $108.00, approved October 20, 1914; No. 4200, for $50.00, approved October 30, 1914.

A Very Enjoyable Afternoon

The Woman's Club was entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. E. H. Larson, assisted by Mrs. Otto Lester and Mrs. R. W. Fisher.

The Larson residence was beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums. Delightful refreshments of Perfection salad, sandwiches and coffee were served and a program was rendered which was greatly enjoyed by fifty-five members.

The program was as follows:

Piano Solo, "Valse Impromptu" ..... Von Wilhm
Mrs. E. S. Wickersham.
Piano Solo, "Si Tu Savais" ..... M. W. Balfe
Mrs. Ph. Fruedenthal.
Reading, "Be a Man" .....
Mrs. E. S. Mashbir.
Vocal Solo, "Hold my Hand Tonight" ..... Carrie Jacob Bond
Miss Edwyna Davies.
Piano Duet, "Delta Capa Epsilon March" ..... E. S. Pearce
Mrs. E. H. Larson and Mrs. R. W. Fisher
Reading, "An Editor's Mistake" .....
Mrs. Geo. H. Birdno.
Piano Solo, "To a Wild Rose," ..... Edw. McDonald
Miss Weiser.

Advertise in THE GUARDIAN.

BANK CLOSES DOORS

The Valley Bank of Phoenix in Charge of the State Auditor

The Valley Bank of Phoenix failed to open its doors Tuesday morning, the State auditor having closed the bank temporarily until its affairs could be straightened out. Too many farm loans is given as one of the main causes of the bank's difficulties. It is believed that the closing of the bank will merely result in its re-organization on a sound financial basis.

The deposits of the Valley bank, which is the largest in Arizona, aggregate two and a quarter millions. The capital is $150,000 and the surplus $150,000, with $8,000 undivided profits. The banking house and fixtures are valued at $214,000, the total resources being about $2,800,000.

A few banks in the smaller cities of Arizona carried small balances at the Valley Bank to pay checking accounts, but otherwise the effect of closing the bank is purely local.

E. J. Bennett is president of the bank, and Lloyd B. Christy, cashier.

The Valley Bank during the past five years has absorbed both the Union Bank & Trust Company and the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank.

State Auditor Callaghan and his assistants spent Monday night checking up the affairs of the bank, and, as a result of their examination, decided that it would be for the best interest of the depositors to close the institution temporarily.

Representatives of other banks of the city entered into a conference later with Governor Hunt and J. C. Callaghan, State auditor, and it was announced that the Valley Bank would re-open within four days.

The Valley Bank had less than $30,000 on hand when its doors were closed.

Expert Watch Repairing

It is a fact that you can get as good watch repairing here in Safford as in the large cities and for less money.

J. C. Freeman, veteran watchmaker, started at the bench in 1872 in Buffalo, N. Y. He has spent many years perfecting himself in the art of repairing and adjusting fine time pieces. His store is on the corner of Tenth and K streets, near P. J. Jacobson's store. He repairs watches, clocks, jewelry and sewing machines and has a good stock of watches, clocks and jewelry. Everything fully guaranteed. adv-39-7t

MRS. SEVERANCE DEAD

Madam Caroline Severance, aged ninety-four years, known nationally as the "Mother of Women's Clubs," died at her home in Los Angeles, Cal., Tuesday, November 10th.

A Socialist Congressman

Meyer London has awakened to fame. Almost overnight he finds himself pushed into the spotlight of publicity. And it is very likely that he will remain there for the next two years.

Who is Meyer London, you ask? He is the one lone socialist congressman who will sit in the next congress. He was elected from the Twelfth district of New York, defeating a Tammany Hall congressman there after a hot fight at the recent election.

Don't forget the Jubilee Singers at Layton Church, next Friday evening, November 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. Ph. Fruedenthal and Mrs. E. S. Mashbir left Sunday for New York City, where they will visit with Dr. and Mrs. Fruedenthal.

Misses Mary Brown, Edwyna Davies, Opal Henley and E. Abell, teachers in the Safford Public School, left yesterday for Phoenix to attend the fair.

It Really Does Relieve Rheumatism

Everybody who is afflicted with rheumatism in any form should by all means keep a bottle of Sloan's Liniment on hand. The minute you feel pain or soreness in a joint or muscle, bathe it with Sloan's Liniment. Do not rub it. Sloan's penetrates almost immediately right to the seat of pain, relieving the hot, tender, swollen feeling and making the part easy and comfortable. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and keep it in the house—against colds, sore and swollen joints, rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief. adv-38-4t

EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

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The Farmer Didn't Make a Mistake

"I was much surprised a few days ago," relates Prof. Stanley F. Morse, Superintendent of the Agricultural Extension Service of the University of Arizona College of Agriculture, "to see a use being made of corral manure which is most unusual in Arizona. In passing by a field in the Sulphur Springs valley I noticed that it was covered with heaps of corral manure which the rancher evidently intended to spread over the entire field. I have been so accustomed to manure's being burned, used for making roads and being dumped into arroyos that I could hardly believe my eyes. Here was a farmer who was actually using manure for the use for which it was intended!

"In spite of the fact that practically all of the soils of Arizona are deficient in nitrogen and humus, both of which manure supplies, our ranchers apparently seek only to destroy the manure instead of conserving it. They say that it heats the land, that it will not decay and that our soils do not need it. However, they are mistaken and I guess that rancher was not making such a big mistake after all."

Arizona Bankers Elect Officers

The eleventh annual convention of the Arizona Bankers' Association, which was held this year at Castle Hot Springs, has just closed and proved to be one of the most profitable and enjoyable events within its history.

Before the adjournment, the following officers were elected for the year: W. C. Foster, of Phoenix, President; M. B. Hazeltine, of Phoenix, Vice-President, and Morris Goldwater, of Prescott, Treasurer.

CARRANZA'S TIME EXPIRED

MEXICO CITY, November 11.—The Aguas Calientes convention formally notified Carranza it intended to administer the oath of office to Gutierrez last night and that any one who did not recognize him would be considered in revolution against the constituted government of Mexico. If necessary hostilities will be begun at once against Carranza's forces to enforce the convention's will.

THE JUBILEE SINGERS

An aggregation of surberb talent, consisting of an artistic singing party, will appear at Layton Church, next Friday evening, November 20th, and at Thatcher, Saturday evening, November 21st. William Moore Claydon is rapidly selling the tickets. You secure them early. This entertainment will be an unusual treat.

Miss Mary Sowell is assisting Miss Main in the Gila Valley Sanitarium.

Lucile Broshears is quite sick with typhoid fever.

The Jubilee Singers will appear in Thatcher, next Saturday evening, November 21st.

Mrs. Vic Holding left Monday morning for Phoenix to attend the State fair.

Remember the Thanksgiving dance to be given Thursday night, November 26th, in Brier's Hall, by Morning Star Rebekah Lodge, No. 20. Everybody invited.

WOMAN ELECTED TO LEGISLATURE

Mrs. Frances Munds, democrat, of Yavapai county, will be Arizona's first woman State senator. In last Tuesday's election she led the entire democratic ticket, defeating her republican opponent by at least 600 votes.

Mrs. Munds was one of the suffrage leaders who procured votes for women in 1912.

BANQUET FOR LAVIN

Twenty-one Years of Efficient Service in Land Office Acknowledged

Twenty-one years of faithful service on the part of James P. Lavin, clerk in the local Land Office, Phoenix, were recognized Friday night, October 30th, by a banquet tendered him by the heads of the office and other federal employes.

The affair took place at the Arizona Club and Col. Weedin, Register of the Land Office, made the address of the evening. He handed the blushing Lavin an assortment of verbal bouquets that came near proving too much for the modesty of the faithful clerk. One of the guests said Saturday morning that the sad part of it all is the fact that everything the genial colonel said was absolutely true.

The colonel referred to the long and highly efficient service of the guest of the evening and spoke in terms of high commendation of his courtesy and all 'round efficiency.

After the banquet the guests went over to the Elk's theater and listened to the speech of Senator Ashurst. It was a bad night for bashful land office people, for the senator, spying John J. Birdno in the party, launched into a eulogy of that official which covered the receiver with blushes and more or less confusion. He said this morning: "It's bad enough to be called a good democrat, but when the senator digs back into the time of John the Baptist it gets tough."

The guests of the Lavin dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. John J. Birdno, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Washburn, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Herald, Miss Helen Pepper, Messrs. Tom Weedin, A. A. Wilhelm, Rudolph Larsen, C. H. Akers and Lyle Abbott.

Camp Fire Girls are Entertained

Miss Dorothy Walpole charmingly entertained the Camp Fire Girls at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ellsworth, on the evening of Friday, November 6th, from 7:30 to 10:00 o'clock.

Some very interesting games were played, after which delicious refreshments were served, consisting of pimento sandwiches, chocolate and ladyfingers.

Those enjoying the evening besides the Camp Fire Girls were: Miss Bruner, Miss Kennehan, Mrs. Cowhard, Mrs. J. E. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. John and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ellsworth.

Americans Will Leave Mexico

According to a dispatch from Washington, D. C., the American troops will probably be ordered out of Vera Cruz very soon, leaving the Mexican factions to settle their own difficulties, as a result of the recent developments which brought the guarantees the Washington government demanded. About 8,500 men are now at Vera Cruz.

Carranza's promises not to reimpose the duties collected by American officials and protect the natives who served under General Funston will probably be accepted as sufficient. Similar pledges from Gutierrez, the new provisional president, are expected.

The Americans have collected several millions in customs dues which will be turned over to the Mexican government.

John West, who recently lost two of the fingers on his right hand while trying to rope a calf, is reported by his physician as recovering nicely.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Welker last week.

New Minister for Safford Churches

Services will be held in the M. E. Church next Sunday, at 11:00 o'clock a. m. The new minister, Rev. G. L. Horne, is expected to be here to conduct the services.

All three churches, the Baptist, the Methodist Episcopal and the Methodist Episcopal, South, have combined for the services of a minister. Rev. Horne is a congregational minister and is reported as being very successful and he comes here highly recommended.

SALOONS ARE CLOSED

A dispatch from Bemijede, Minn., states that two hundred saloons within the district covered by the Indian treaty of 1855 were ordered closed in compliance with a decision of the United States Supreme Court handed down last June. The treaty covers a vast district in northern Minnesota.

WILL HOLD MEETING

The regular business meeting of the Woman's Club will be held Friday afternoon, November 20th, at 3:30 o'clock, in the High School building on Tenth street.

A program will be given of especial interest to home-makers generally. All women are cordially invited.

Will Trade

Modern residence and two lots in Globe. Will trade for acreage or small home near Safford. Address, J. J. CHAMBERLAIN, Safford, Arizona. adv-36-4t

The Jubilee Singers at the Layton Church, next Friday evening, November 20th, will be a great treat. Don't fail to attend and enjoy the program.

Important

Bear in mind that Chamberlain's Tablets not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. For sale by Safford Drug Co. adv-38-4t

NEW REVENUE TAX

The War Tax Went Into Operation on October 23, 1914

The following instructions have been received by Lewis T. Carpenter, Collector of Internal Revenue, at Phoenix, concerning the imposition and collection of the war revenue tax:

Commencing on October 23, 1914, the tax on beer and all other fermented liquors is increased to $1.50 per barrel, tax to be paid by brewer.

Champagnes and sparkling wines, or wines artificially carbonated, 20 cents per quart.

Liqueurs, cordials, etc., 6 cents per quart. This and the tax in the preceding paragraph to be paid by the dealer.

Fortified wines, 55 cents per gallon to be paid by the maker or producer.

On still wines, 2 cents per quart, to be paid by the dealer.

Commencing November 1st, the tax on all dealers in tobacco whose annual sales exceed $200 is $4.80 for each store or other place in which tobacco in any form is sold.

On manufacturers of tobacco whose annual sales do not exceed 100,000 pounds, $5 per annum.

On manufacturers of cigars whose annual sales do not exceed 100,000 pounds, $3 per annum.

Bankers, $1 for each $1000 capital.

Brokers, $30.

Pawnbrokers, $5.

Commercial brokers, $20.

Customs house brokers, $10.

Theaters, museums and concert halls, $25 for each 250 of seating capacity.

Circuses, $100.

Bowling alleys and billard halls, $5 for each alley and table.

Commission merchants, $20.

Commencing on December 1st, stamps shall be placed on the following articles at the rate of one-eighth cent for each five cents of sale value: Essence, extract, cosmetic, toilet water, vaseline, petroleum, hair oil, pomade, hair dressing, hair restorer, hair dye, tooth wash, dentrifrice, tooth paste, aromatic cachous or any similar substance or article.

On all bonds, debentures or certificates of indebtedness, 5 cents per each $100 or fraction thereof.

Telegraph and telephone messages where a charge of 15 cents or more is imposed, 1 cent on each message.

On bills of lading where a charge exceeding 5 cents was made, 1 cent.

Palace and parlor car seats and sleeping car berths, 1 cent for each ticket.

Deeds and other conveyances where the consideration is more than $100 and less than $500, 5 cents. Others in proportion.

Insurance premiums, one-half cent on each dollar or fractional part thereof.

Chewing gum or substitutes therefor, 4 cents for each dollar package.

Fourteen States Now Quarantined

A dispatch from Washington, D. C., states that fourteen states are now under federal quarantine because of the foot and mouth disease among live stock. Kentucky was added to the list Tuesday.

The spread of the disease in some of the quarantined states was also reported and was somewhat discouraging to the department of agriculture officials, who hoped the disease had been checked. Mississippi is the only further state under suspicion.

DEDICATE HIGH SCHOOL

The new High School, recently completed at Miami, Arizona, was dedicated Tuesday with appropriate ceremonies.

Jas. M. Thompson, practical house painter. P. O. Box 1004, Safford. adv-39-4t

A tennis court has been laid out by M. O'Bryan at his home on Tenth street. This is the second court that has recently been laid out and will doubtless lead to the organization of a good tennis club.

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Try this for Your Cough

Thousands of people keep coughing because unable to get the right remedy. Coughs are caused by inflammation of throat and bronchial tubes. What you need is to soothe this inflammation. Take Dr. King's New Discovery. It penetrates the delicate mucous lining, raises the phlegm and quickly relieves the congested membranes. Get a 50c. bottle from your druggist's. "Dr. King's New Discovery quickly and completely stopped my cough," writes J. R. Watts, Floydale, Texas. Money back if not satisfied, but it nearly always helps. adv-38-4t

STATE FAIR OPENS WITH BIG CROWD

Miller Wins the El Paso-Phoenix Automobile Race and Beats Record

MAY MACK TROTS FAST RACE

Barney Oldfield Wins the Los Angeles Phoenix Automobile Race

The Arizona State fair opened Monday with a splendid attendance and a sparkling card of races which delighted a packed grand stand. May Mack trotted the fastest three heats in a race ever seen in the west.

The track record in the 2.07 pace was lowered.

Mickey McGuire contributed with a great aeroplane exhibition.

The greatest lot of horses ever seen under harness are at the fair grounds to contest the balance of the week.

All departments are splendidly represented.

Erwin G. Baker, of Phoenix, won the El Paso-Phoenix mortorcycle race. He made the 530 miles in 15 hours and 53 minutes. He rode an Indian.

Al Rhodes, of Tucson, was second, on a Harley-Davidson.

Weyand, on an Excelsior, was third.

Lorenzo Boido, on an Indian, won the San Diego-Phoenix motorcycle race, in 14 hours and 17 minutes, beating the record of 16 hours and 10 minutes.

The rain interfered with the fair program Tuesday, only the running race being carried out. A small crowd was in attendance.

Hugh Miller, of Phoenix, won the El Paso-Phoenix automobile race in his Pope-Hartford. Miller made the 533 miles in 14 hours and 35 minutes, clipping 2 hours and 22 minutes off the record made last year by Jed Newkirk in his Simplex.

J. T. Hutchins, of Alamagordo, N. M., was second, in a Buick.

Tom Brewer, of Globe, was third, in a Marmon.

Barney Oldfield, in a Stutz No. 5, won the Los Angeles-Phoenix automobile race. His time for the 673 miles was 23 hours, 1 minute and 35 2-5 seconds.

Louis Nikrent was second. He drove a Paige.

Boudet, in a Paige, was third.

The weather was reported clearing up Wednesday.

TSING-TAU SURRENDERS

After desperate assaults, in which the Japanese in the face of heroic resistance rivalled the bravery of their forces at Port Arthur, Tsing-Tau surrendered at 9:20 o'clock Friday morning, November 7th. At that hour Gov. Myer-Waldeck, following the hoisting of white flags on the forts, sent an officer with a flag of truce to the Anglo-Japanese lines.

At 4:00 o'clock the Japanese and German officers opened a conference at Moltke barracks, when the formalities of capitulation were concluded.

A little son of Orville Larson was accidentally shot in the hip while hunting with an older brother. The boy's condition is considered serious.

Myers Returns Thanks to Voters

To the 960 members of the Old Guard who so nobly fought, bled and died in the last ditch for me, November 3d, I tender my most sincere and heartfelt thanks. Never since the days of Andrew Jackson has there been more loyal and faithful friends than the 960 grenadiers, who shouldered their muskets for me on the morning of November 3d.

Whenever any of you are down this way, call around. Though not quite so flush since spending $66.70 to be the party nominee and $73.30 since, we have a sack of valley flour left and our old cow still gives milk. I have not included in the above estimate 229 miles of walking up and down the valley on both sides of the river. Anyhow, come and see us. You'll find the latchstring out, just as I found it at your house.

Grenadiers, I salute you! Ladies of the Old Guard, you are decorated with the Iron Cross. The five patriots who stood on the firing line at Central are members of the Legion of Honor. Stand up for Arizona! Stand by the flag!

W. C. MYERS.

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WHY ARIZONA WENT DRY

Now that the unofficial returns indicate a majority for the prohibition amendment of hardly less than five thousand votes, it is natural to inquire what forces brought about a result, a prediction of which six months ago excited ridicule.

For many years there had been a latent sentiment and a disorganized sentiment in favor of prohibition in almost every county in Arizona. It was especially strong in the agricultural districts of the Salt River and the Upper Gila valleys. For some years Graham county and Maricopa, outside of Phoenix, have been dry. There were also dry districts in several of the other counties, embracing, however, only sparse populations.

Under the segregation feature of the local option law, the towns had withstood the assaults of the prohibitionists and probably could have done so indefinitely. Though Phoenix cast a majority in favor of Statewide prohibition, it would not likely have cast a majority in favor of local option.

Also the prohibition campaign just closed is the first that has been systematically conducted in Arizona. Though the sentiment was here, it remained for the Temperance Federation, under expert management, to give it direction. Also, the candidacy of Eugene W. Chafin, though hopeless in itself, gave great impetus to the prohibition campaign.

When the campaign was well under way the forces were drawn up in this wise: First, the liquor interests within the State, embracing 576 saloons and two breweries, and outside liquor interests and breweries. A very large majority of the business men in all the larger towns opposed prohibition for purely economic reasons. Such a change as was proposed, whatever the ultimate result, would necessarily be disturbing for some time after it was effected. Later, the opposition to the amendment was augmented by the influence of the Catholic Church, which believed that it saw in the drastic amendment an interference with the celebration of one of its rites.

On the side of prohibition, occupying, as it always does in such contests, the center of the battle line, was the Evangelical Church. There was also the Mormon Church, which in Arizona, both as a Territory and a State, has always stood for prohibition. Another strong element was the socialist party, and still another was an unauthorized representation from organized labor which took part in the formation of the temperance federation and which added to its strength throughout the campaign.

There was also that strong anti-saloon sentiment in every community which had lacked motion and cohesiveness. There were, of course, the women's organizations, especially the W. C. T. U. A surprisingly large number of men given to excessive intoxication at once joined the movement, they said, for self-protection and for protection against themselves. Less worthy allies in large groups, here and there, were men who had a spite against the saloons. In one town the saloonkeepers had incurred the displeasure of a large class by putting their business on a cash basis. In many of the towns there was a large dry element which became so as a protest against the increase of the price of beer from 5 cents a glass to 10 cents. Then, there was another prohibition force created in a curious and unexpected way. The American party, as it is known in the southern part of the State, of A. P. A. sentiment, was solidified for the dry amendment by the action of the Catholic Church in declaring against it.

The two foregoing lists include, we believe, all the forces that were for or against prohibition. And, after all, the new woman vote was, perhaps, the determining factor against the saloons. In previous local option elections, since women were admitted to suffrage in this State, they had not voted in such numbers as to interfere perceptibly with the wet and dry equilibrium. But now they turned out in large numbers, a majority for prohibition. —Arizona Republican.

PICK YOUR COTTON

It looks as if our cotton farmers are making a grave mistake in not picking their cotton whenever a picking is in sight. The weather conditions are so changeable this fall that it would seem nothing else is necessary to bring the farmers of the valley to a realization that they should not wait too long before starting to pick their cotton. An early frost would do a great deal of harm and our advice is for the cotton farmer to get busy.

In Salt River valley the cotton is picked as soon as a picking appears on the cotton trees. They do not wait until every boll is open, and the cotton farmers of the Salt River valley do not make the mistake of waiting too long.

We understand that quite an acreage has been grown in short staple cotton and this in spite of the advice of government experts, who have studied the climatic conditions as well as the soil and have repeatedly declared that the farmers of this valley should grow the long staple.

It maybe that the short staple is such an easy crop to raise and not much labor, and therefore finds favor in the eyes of those who do not care to work too hard. The consequences, the invasion of the boll weevil and cotton blights, and in the end the small market price will be the inevitable result.

The long staple cotton carries the money every time, is free from the boll weevil, is better cotton and a market for it is easier found. We cannot understand why a farmer will work a farm for a bare existence when he has the opportunity to make some real money and better his own conditions.

BUILD THE BRIDGE

A bridge across the Gila river, near Pima, is something that is badly needed and the election authorizing the construction of this bridge should carry by a big majority.

No one should be selfish in deciding on a public improvement of this kind, as it will be beneficial to so many people and help every town in the valley.

The building of a bridge near Pima will eventually lead to a bridge near Safford. These improvements are bound to come as they are needed, and the building of bridges will also lead to better roads, which are also a great public necessity

As one good turn deserves another, so it will come to pass that the people of this valley will show by their works that they are up-to-date in all things beneficial to their fellowmen and in a few years we will have, not only bridges connecting both sides of the river, but better roads than can be found in any other county.

Let us get together on the bridge proposition and show by our votes that we favor this great public improvement. We cannot afford to be selfish in a matter of this kind.

Tae democrats in this valley who voted for Ralph Cameron need the attention of an osteopath. It is evident that some part of their vertebra is pressing on nerves leading to their brains. When this pressure is relieved, perhaps, they will be able to see democratic again. This operation should take place at once, so that these democrats can be cured of that dread disease, Cameronditis.

The funniest thing we know of is a dry democrat voting for wet Cameron. It is not always necessary to go to a minstrel show to enjoy a laugh. The late election is proof of this.

The result of the election last Tuesday shows conclusively that the people of Arizona still believe in Governor Hunt and are perfectly satisfied with his administration.

Ralph Cameron will now start on his usual trip up Salt River.

An Active Liver Means Health

If you want good health, a clear complexion and freedom from dizziness, constipation, biliousness, headaches and indigestion, take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They drive out fermenting and undigested foods, clear the blood and cure constipation. Only 25c. at your druggist's. adv 38 4t

SHALL WOMEN VOTE

The following article written by John McGowan, was published in the Arizona Bulletin, in its issue of November 1, 1912:

"On the fifth of this month the electors of Arizona are to vote on an amendment to the constitution declaring that women shall have the right to vote at all general elections equally with men. It is, therefore, timely to consider the reasons urged for and against this measure. Why do men prize this privilege? Why should it be given to women?

"In a pamphlet recently published advocating this amendment, the first reason given is: 'Women are people, and ours is said to be a government of the people, by the people and for the people.' But even this advocate would not allow people to vote. A prominent advocate of the measure in this State gives as his first reason: 'Because I a ma man.' Another favors it because his mother was a woman. A knockdown argument against woman suffrage has long been: 'Women cannot wield the bullet, hence they should not be allowed to wield the ballot.' But if this were consistently applied, none but gunmen would be qualified electors. Many men who are influential in elections whould be useless and helpless in war. So far we have no real reason or answer.

"The theory of civil government is that the ballot is given, not for its own intrinsic value or use, but but as a means of securing and safeguarding other rights that are thus valuable. It is a weapon, a means, not an end. The theory is that the elective franchise is given by law that it may be used to bring about the enactment and administration of general laws that have been found by experience to be necessary to secure to people the enjoyment of life, private property, personal liberty and reputation. This is the principal reason why we have elections and voting Since, then, it is admitted on every hand that men need and are entitled to the ballot as a means of protecting these vital rights of life, liberty, property and good name, it cannot justly or safely be denied the other sex, because they have all these rights. If both sexes are in a shipwreck at sea, life preservers and small boats are as necessary and proper to one as to the other. The ballot is a life preserver and small boat to the rights of life, liberty, and property."

NO POLITICS FOR HIM

"Yes, Sir," said Uncle Zeke, "politics is a dirty business. You don't ketch me mixin' in it any more. Never again! I know when I've had enough."

"You've been a candidate for office?"

"Wunst, that's enough for me."

"Got beat did you?"

"Yes, sir, I got beat, but I did not mind that. It was the loss of confidence in my feller citizens, the findin' out that our politics is rotten all through, and that you can't depend on a man's promise. That's what hurt."

"Was it an abusive campaign?"

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Safford People Attend State Fair

A number of Safford people are attending the State fair. Those who left for Phoenix Saturday were: W. B. Fonda, Mr. and Mrs. W. Houck, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Downen, Ed Branch, Z. C. Prina, Lawrence Brier and Bowen Clark.

Sunday another contingent left. They were: Mr. and Mr. William Ellsworth, Mrs. Kate Jennings, L. M. Mullenax, Thos. J. Sparks, Mrs. Margaret Spiegel, Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor, Mrs. Mary E. Smith and Lester Golding.

Monday morning the following left for Phoenix: Mrs. W. J. Owen and daughter, Mrs. Ike Robinson and daughter, John McGowan, J. T. Owens and W. A. Moody.

ST. JOSESH STAKE NEWS

Quarterly Conference Will Be Held in Thatcher, Nov. 28-29

Quarterly conference of the St. Joseph Stake will be held in Thatcher, November 28th and 29th. Visitors have not yet been announced, but are expected to be present.

Stake preparation meeting will be held November 15th, at 2:00 p m Bishops are called to be in attendance at this meeting to discuss various matters, affecting the business of the stake.

Burial caskets carried in stock by Gila Valley Furniture and Hardware Store. tf

Orson F. Brown, who has been visiting relatives in Thatcher, was an outgoing passenger on Monday's train, on his way home to El Paso, Texas.

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Muffins

By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine.

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Sift dry ingredients together three times. Add to this the unbeaten egg, melted shortening and water or milk. Then beat all together until perfectly smooth. Oil muffin or gem pans and have oven slow until the muffins come to the top of the pan, then increase the heat to bake and brown the muffins. This recipe makes 12 large muffins. Raisins or currants may be added if desired.

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Graham Muffins

1 cup graham flour; 1 cup pastry flour; 2 level teaspoonfuls K C Baking Powder; 1 to 2 level tablespoonfuls sugar; ½ teaspoonful salt; 1 egg; 1¼ cups milk or water; 2 to 3 tablespoonfuls melted butter; mix and bake as One-Egg Muffins.

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¶ Civilizing Influence of Music on Mankind

By NATHAN HASKELL DOLE

As music appeals to the emotions, different kinds of music must naturally arouse various passions. This was recognized by the ancients, who had an elaborate system of modes. The orgies of Dionysius, the hot lust for battle, the soft enticements of love found expression in Phrygian, Dorian and Lydian modes, with their appropriate instruments.

We all have heard music that tended to put us to sleep. Probably most of us have heard music that kindled sudden anger, so that it required considerable self-control not to murder the perpetrator. That appeal to the calmer judgment was found in the placard in the western barroom, where the patrons were requested not to shoot the pianist, because he was doing the best he could.

There are seven chief virtues: Faith, hope, charity, prudence, temperance, chastity and fortitude. Pure music (apart from words accompanied by musical sounds) certainly may sustain faith, encourage hope and help fortitude. It might be even conceived that by superinducing a comfortable frame of mind one would give an extra penny for sweet charity's sake. But one would get no great lift in prudence from any music, however slow and solemn, and "the great thirst" is quite independent of lofty emotions.

Now there are seven deadly sins: Pride, covetousness, lust, anger, gluttony, envy and sloth. The musical performer may be exposed to pride and envy. Jealousy is undoubtedly a great failing among artists of all kinds; perhaps especially among singers and instrumentalists, but Frau Musica ought not to be held responsible for these faults.

There are some kinds of music that would naturally lead to sloth—the music which Odysseus heard as he went by the land of the lotus eaters.

This sensuous music made more swift and exciting causes the blood to flow more eagerly, sets the heart to beating and undoubtedly kindles to love. But so do moonlight, a buggy and a well tempered horse and the right girl. But would we do away with the moonlight? Would we people wooded solitudes with dragon-eyed chaperons? No, we would educate our young men and women to know the risks of freedom and opportunity, to exercise self-control and mutual respect. Most immorality, one might say all sexual immorality, comes from ignorance, and while music, in its exciting, stimulating, sensuous combinations of sounds, as for instance in languishing waltz rhythms, fills the heart with voluptuous longings, it could never break down the solid dyke of "Thou shalt not" founded on right principles and true knowledge.

The value of music as a civilizing influence, its power to bring people into harmony, its marvelous capacity for giving men and women pleasure a million times outweigh its potentiality for arousing evil passions. If it did not have its elements of risk, it would be vastly less valuable. All good things may be perverted and be all the more dangerous because of their very virtues. A man who should swallow a cupful of liquid air would die of a sudden stomach ache, and the person who should give loose reins to even his loftiest passions would become dangerous in any community.

Music undoubtedly sweeps some unbalanced people off their feet, but its general tendency is for the good of mankind. This seems to be the consensus of opinion in modern times

Nathan Haskell Dole

J. W. Madsen, son of John Madsen, who has been visiting relatives here, left Wednesday morning for Luck, Wis., where he is employed as a railroad telegraph operator.

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ANGELINA'S NEIGHBOR

By ROSEMARY ENGER.

"I tell you," said Miss Angelina to her neighbor, Mrs. Purvis, as she "turned" the heel of the stocking she was knitting, "I've no respect for a man that can't turn his hand to do a woman's work when he has to. You can't tell me that it's belittlin' for a man to know how to spread a bed up slick, and wash dishes in water that's hot enough to get the grease off 'em. An' sure there's many a man would be dead and buried of starvation if he didn't know enough to fry potatoes and mix up a batch o' pancakes f'r himself."

"But, Angelina," put in soft-voiced Mrs. Purvis, "the poor soul we're talkin' about ain't ever had any call to do none o' those things. I understand his sister has always done it, 'till she died. It's hard on 'im, too, comin' to a strange place an' having' to make new friends an' all that."

"Well I never!" Miss Angelina's knitting dropped into her lap. "You're awful set on sympathizin' with Mr. Leety, ain't you, Jane Purvis! Well, as I don't even care enough about him to keep the chickens and hogs, and incident'ly myself late for supper by talkin' about him, I guess I'll be leavin'."

Mr. Leety lived next door to her. Their orchard fences were identical. His russets fell on her side in the fall, and her sheep's noses on his. She always threw his apples over, and watched them rot in disgust. Never an apple spoiled on Miss Angelina's ground.

Then one day she woke up with a headache. It spread down her neck. Then her legs began to ache. She was also very tired. It got worse every day for a week. She had never had a doctor and held out as long as she could. One day, she managed to get a note into the letter box at the gate addressed to Mrs. Purvis.

In two weeks she came to herself again, in spite of the fact that the doctor said it was the worst case of typhoid fever he had ever known, and that she couldn't get well.

Mrs. Purvis and Sarah took turns nursing her and some way she pulled through. In six weeks she was able to be around a little, and in two months she was almost her old self. It was pretty late fall now, and the wind was getting sharp.

One day Miss Angelina opened the barn door. Some one was milking. "Simmins' man," she supposed. Well, she wouldn't need him after today and she'd find out how much she owed him. She opened her mouth to ask when the man turned and she recognized her shiftless neighbor, Mr. Leety. Her lips straightened. "Why are you milking my cow?"

He got up. "Why, I guess because I didn't think you was able. I don't—know any other reason."

"An' I suppose you have been supplying your own wants all the time I've been sick."

"No'm, I ain't!" His eyes flashed.

"Well, I'll do my own milkin' now. I'll send your money over when I figger it up. Good morning."

So Mr. Leety took his departure, and things at Miss Angelina's moved on in their accustomed schedule.

On Sunday she sent his money over to Mrs. Purvis. And on Monday Mrs. Purvis took the money, went to town and bought some things, which she sent out to Miss Angelina by parcel post, with a note.

"He won't take anything, so I went to town and bought some stuff for you to hem. He needs sheets and towels and tablecloths. He's a very kind man. No one else could come. If it hadn't been for him your live stock would have starved."

Miss Angelina was thunderstruck, indignant, puzzled, and repentant in the next 24 hours.

In three days the things were done and she took them over herself.

Mr. Leety opened the door when she knocked, and in spite of his surprise politely invited her in.

After he had dumped some things off a chair, he asked her to sit down And then Miss Angelina humbly presented her offerings. He accepted them gratefully.

"It's pretty hard," he said ruefully, "gettin' along alone. The house work does get me. I never was no hand to cook, nor sew, nor keep things in order. I just can't take it somehow. It's more in my line to—"

"Yes," broke in his visitor quickly "it's in your line to be kind-hearted and generous to people who've been hateful to you an'—an' I'm mighty sorry. You poor, poor man! To think of all the things I could have been doin' for you and didn't, an' all the things you needn't have done for me an' did. I'm ashamed."

"Oh, Miss Angelina, don't say that. But I've been awful homesick. If you'd just let me come over some evenings an' talk, it'd do me a world o' good. I get pretty lonesome."

"So do I, Mr. Leety. You're surely welcome, an' I've always got pie an' cookies."

So Mr. Letty is now wearing well-darned hosiery and eating three good meals a day in a well-ordered house, for Miss Angelina has changed her name.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR BUILDING A BRIDGE ACROSS THE GILA RIVER

Office of the Board of Supervisors, Solomonville, Arizona.

Notice is hereby given by the said Board of Supervisors, that a Special Election shall be held in the County of Graham, State of Arizona, for the purpose of submitting to the property tax payers, as shown by the last County Tax Roll of said County, who shall also be qualified electors of said County, the following proposition:

Shall there be constructed a bridge across the Gila River at a point designated as follows: 40 chains West of the East line, and 69 rods South of the North line of Section 18, Township 6 South, Range 25 East of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, in said Graham County; at a cost of Eighteen Thousand ($18,000.00) Dollars; and shall the Board of Supervisors be authorized to raise the funds necessary to pay the same by taxation.

Said election shall be held in conformity with the provisions of the General Election Laws of the State of Arizona, and by the officers of election appointed for that purpose, who shall qualify under such laws.

Said election shall be held on the 28th day of November, 1914, and no person shall be entitled to vote at said election unless he or she is a taxpayer, whose name is on the last assessment roll of said County and who are qualified electors. Notice of said election shall be given by publication in THE GRAHAM GUARDIAN.

The boards of election and polling places for the several voting precincts of Graham County for the said special election, shall be as follows, to-wit:

Safford, No. 1	Inspector . . . W. R. Reed Judge . . . . Geo. P. Jacobson Judge . . . . . D. L. Ridgway	Polling Place, Town Hall.
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San Jose, No. 4	Inspector . . Samuel Curtis Judge . . . . . Adiel Sanchez Judge . . . . William Smith	Polling Place, School House.
Solomonville, No. 5	Inspector . Frank Richardson Judge . . . . Ben W. Olney Judge . . . . J. Fred Blake	Polling Place, Court House.
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The polls will be open at 6:00 o'clock a. m. and will close at 6:00 o'clock p. m.

Dated the 24th day of October, 1914.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 01757

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Ariz., November 7, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Grover B. Maloy, of Pima, Arizona (Assignee of Geo. W. Wilson), who, on November 27, 1908, made desert land entry No. 01757, for SW ¼ NW ¼, Section 24, Township 6 S, Range 24 E, G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk of Superior Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 15th day of December, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Joseph R. Rogers, Frank L. Wilson, Marion D. Maloy, Rio J. Larson, all of Pima, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 01205

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Ariz., November 7, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that John F. Nash, of Thatcher, Arizona, who, on October 10, 1908, made desert land entry, No. 01205, for E ½ SE ¼ Sec. 25, T. 5 S., R. 23 E; and SW ¼ SW ¼, Section 30, Township 5 S, Range 24 E, G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk of Superior Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 15th day of December 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Geo. A. Matthews, of Fairview, Arizona; D. A. Matthews, of Fairview, Arizona; Frank Preston, of Pima, Arizona; Joseph Alder, of Pima, Arizona.

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JOHN F. WEBER, - - EDITOR

IS A HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION WORTH WHILE?

Under the above caption the following very interesting address on finishing high school, was delivered during assembly, Tuesday, of the students of the Safford High School, by Miss Bruner, the High School teacher:

The question has been asked, "Is it worth while to go through high school?" You boys and girls on finishing the eighth grade ask yourselves this question and if the decision is left wholly to you you usually decide it on what you feel to be the worth of the cause in comparison with the worth of your time spent in employment, I believe.

Perhaps we can help you decide whether it is worth while or not. Of course, we teachers, will all say it pays, but you would not put absolute confidence in us because you think we must "boost" for our business. But there are others to ask. Ask the banker, the merchant, the lawyer, the mechanic, the engineer, ask anybody who has finished a high school course and his answer will invariably be that he does not regret the time spent in school, but on the other hand he will tell you that his education is an immense advantage.

People value that which they find to be worth while and very few if any fail to value an education as the greatest of all possessions. But there is a better way to estimate. If you are now in the eighth grade, take off the last four years of your schooling. Would you be willing to have stopped at the fourth grade? You would not. If you are in the tenth grade, would you be willing to have had yonr education stop at the sixth grade? Or wherever you are, would you willingly dispense with the last four years of your schooling? Then is it not probable that the four years required for finishing high school will be equally satisfactory and indispensable afterwards? Will it not be an equally good investment?

But what does an education cost besides the four years' time. It costs the money for books and clothes, which your parents will generally gladly furnish, and it costs the labor of study. In the latter case there is also the trouble of dealing with teachers, more or less exacting. Going to work does not free one, however, from dealing with exacting people. The teacher is exchanged for the employer. Now, for the labor of study. It is a labor if the high school is of the right kind. But this labor is not escaped if one leaves school to take employment. A position paying from $5.00 to $12.00 a week is accepted with small chance of material promotion. It is a life position of labor. Labor is not escaped no more than is the necessity of dealing with exacting people. On the other hand, by finishing high school you have gained that which will fit you for better positions. This is shown by the fact that our most desirable positions are being filled by high school graduates. You have also gained that which will admit you to a University, where you may learn a profession or trade, but most important of all, perhaps, you gain an ease of manner which enables you to conduct yourselves properly, both in society and in business.

Therefore, in view of the fact that one does not escape the undesirable features of high school life in taking up regular work, and further, in view of the fact that a high school education fits one for better positions, I think you can easily see that it will be to your advantage to decide to finish high school.

Give yourselves a chance. Don't handicap yourselves by refusing this great help. You are not living in the past, but in the present generation. We must have more education than our father's had or needed. Each generation requires more educational equipment than the one preceding. If this were not true we should all be living as Adam did in the Garden of Eden.

EARLY BART SEED WANTED

The farmers of Arizona, especially those of this valley and around Tucson, are evidently firm in the belief that Early Bart wheat is a good paying crop and more wheat is being planted this year than ever before.

Farmers around Tucson are in need of more Early Bart seed wheat and have applied to Geo. F. Freeman, plant breeder, University of Arizona. Mr. Freeman has written to the Gila Valley Milling Co. for seed, but the acreage planted in this valley this year has about exhausted the supply.

Mr. Freeman's letter and the answer of the Gila Valley Milling Co. are given herewith:

UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA,
TUCSON, ARIZONA,
November 6, 1914.

GILA VALLEY MILLING CO.,
Safford, Arizona.

GENTLEMEN:—Several farmers are inquiring where seed of Early Bart wheat can be obtained. Mr. Leo Goldschmidt informs me that you probably have some of good quality on hand. Since we are all interested in having this variety grown as widely as possible within the State, I am suggesting that you reserve a portion of this good seed and do not mill it until after the wheat planting season is over. If you will do so, please let me know how much you have on hand and how long it will be available and I will take pleasure in referring farmers to you who want to buy the seed of this variety.

Very truly yours,
GEO. F. FREEMAN,
Plant Breeder.

SAFFORD, ARIZONA,
November 9, 1914.

UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA,
Tucson, Arizona.

DEAR SIRS:—Replying to your valued favor of the 6th inst., we beg to advise that we are rather short of the Early Bart seed wheat this season, as it has done so exceeding well that there is a large acreage being planted in this valley, and we do not believe we will have more than enough to supply the large local demand, in which we are of course very much interested.

We believe that next year we will be able to supply Tucson and all outside points with whatever quantity of this excellent seed that you may require.

Yours very truly,
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Miss Priscilla Howe's pencil tripped over the lines and came to a stop. She looked up at Mr. Forsythe inquiringly

"Er—that's all, Miss Howe," said the young man. "No, there is one thing more. Won't you take lunch with me today? Stop! Stop! You're taking that down."

"Is that a personal inquiry, Mr. Forsythe?" inquired his stenographer severely.

"I'm afraid—I mean yes, it is," he answered.

"That is the third time you have asked me, Mr. Forsythe," said the girl "I must tell you again my mother doesn't care for me to have lunch with gentlemen whom she doesn't know."

"But you have worked for me two years, Miss Howe," pleaded John.

"Mother says that doesn't make any difference," answered Miss Priscilla, rising to put on her hat.

John Forsythe sighed. For over a year he had felt that the capable, Puritan Miss Priscilla would make him an ideal mate. And obstinately, dogedly, she had refused to let him make any advances. There was nothing against his character; he was young good-looking, and reasonably rich. No, it was—it was—

"Er—Miss Howe! One moment!" he called. "Won't you let me ask you something? Don't be offended with me Are you engaged?"

"Certainly not, Mr. Forsythe," answered the girl indignantly. "If I were, I should not be working here."

"But, Miss Howe, I was speaking of luncheon," he faltered. "Oh, dear," he muttered, as she swept out of the room, "now I have put my foot in it badly, and if she gets angry she'll leave me."

Miss Priscilla did not seem very angry when she came back from luncheon, but her looks were quite severe enough to send a tremor through Forsythe's breast. However, he was in for it now. If that fortress surrendered it would be to storming.

"You Don't Distrust Me, Then?"

"Miss Howe," he suggested, as she was going home, "might I be permitted to call on your mother some afternoon?"

"I'll ask her," Miss Priscilla answered. But the next morning she informed him that her mother was not well enough to receive visitors for the present.

Now Miss Howe was not at all indifferent to her employer's advances But her mother had impressed certain facts upon her very forcibly before permitting her to take a stenographer's position. The death of her father had necessitated this means of support. The conditions were these:

"Since every large city is the haunt of unscrupulous men, never offer any man an opportunity to make advances to you."

"Never lunch with your employer."

"Wear tailor-made dresses of a plain cut and severe color in office hours."

"A girl accepts only books, flowers and candy, and then only from intimate friends of her mother's."

Meanwhile John Forsythe languished in unrequited love; and in Miss Priscilla's breast there smouldered the eternal fire born of propinquity to an engaging young man. But how to pierce that icy armor which covered the embers was Forsythe's problem.

"If I could win your mother's confidence, would you go out to lunch with me?" asked the young man one day.

"Yes," said Miss Priscilla.

"You don't distrust me, then?"

"No," she admitted. "But I always obey my mother."

'Hum!" said John Forsythe.

It must have been three weeks later that the girl came in toward mid-day. She apologized as she hung up her hat.

"The pipes in our house froze last night," she said, "and you know the plumbers are all on strike. We've had an awful time. Poor mamma has had to stand by with a pail to catch the water from the leak."

"Have you got a plumber?" asked Forsythe.

"No. The water will have to be shut off from the main," said the girl.

"I'm sorry, Miss Howe," he answered. "However, I guess it will be all right. I have an appointment this afternoon, and may not be back, so please take charge while I am away."

Miss Priscilla waited in the office impatiently. For once in her life she was watching the clock. If the water was not shut off at the main—why, poor mother would be standing under that leaky old pipe all day. At five o'clock, since Mr. Forsythe had not returned, she put on her hat and hurried home.

When she entered the little flat an amazing sight was seen. Upon the lounge sat Mrs. Howe; under the leaking pipe, philosophically watching the water drip into the pail, sat John Forsythe. As the pail filled he thrust another one under the leak and hurried the full pail into the bathtub.

"Mother!" exclaimed the girl, petrified with amazement.

"My dear," faltered her mother, "this young man kindly offered to help me. Such a respectable-looking young man, and he speaks so nicely. He wanted work and said you had recommended him and he came in the nick of time!"

John Forsythe emerged from the bathroom, carrying the empty pail.

"It's running more slowly now," he said, looking at the leak. "Confound those authorities, whoever they are! Why can't they turn it off? Ah!"

The authorities had evidently awakened, for the trickle of water gradually thinned until it ceased, and John Forsythe looked up triumphantly from his pail.

"Here is a dollar for you, my good man," said Mrs. Howe, producing a bill from her reticule. "And you have certainly earned it. I am very much obliged."

"Thank you, madam," said John, putting on his coat. He opened the door quickly, but he lingered long enough in the hall for Miss Priscilla to catch up with him.

"How dared you!"—she began, but then, seeing the look in his eyes, relented.

"You'll take lunch with me now," he said convincingly. "Won't you—Priscilla?"

"Yes," answered Priscilla. And, as the door closed, she added, "dear" under her breath.

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NOT LIKE THE OLD TIMES

Busy Man Notes Considerable Change n Demeanor of Life Insurance Solicitor.

"All this talk about the life insurance companies might have grown stale except for one thing," said the man on the suburban car who had just been consulting his memorandum book. "I refer to the life insurance canvasser. There was a time when an average of five per day called on me at my house or office, and they were the hardest men in the world to get rid of. It has been two whole months since I have seen one, and he didn't have a bit of the old-time gall about him. He came into the office so quiet and humble that I thought he wanted a place as gardener. When I asked his business he fidgeted around for a spell and then replied:

"Mr. Blank, do you believe in life insurance?"

"Under certain conditions, yes."

"I am an agent for the Blank Life Insurance company. If that company could show you that it had been honest—?"

"Yes."

"Had been honest and straight, and it's president hadn't been paid a salary four times too large—?"

"Yes."

"And he hadn't rung all his relatives into a good thing and paid them double what they are worth—?"

"I see."

"And all the company losses had been promptly paid, and it's spare money invested in the safest and best way—?"

"Yes, yes."

"And if everything was running all right, and would continue to run all right and you got a low rate and was perfectly satisfied, would you consider taking out a small policy with us and thus securing our eternal gratitude and good will?"

"I told the man I would think of it, and I didn't have to add that it was my busy day. He got out of his own accord, and I presume the smile didn't come off for a whole day."

Too Noisy.

Theodore Dreiser, at a luncheon in New York, given in his honor, warned his fellow authors against hysterical writing.

"Look at the fake of the muck-raker," said the author of "Sister Carrie." "He has lost his popularity and one cannot but feel pleased at his disappearance, for his outcries did more harm than good. I am sure that he wishes now that he had been milder in his denunciation. He can sympathize with the dentist's wife.

"Awakening with a bad headache the morning after a G. A. R. banquet to celebrate Lincoln's Birthday, a suburban dentist mused, not unpleasantly, on his last evening's spree. But suddenly his wife appeared and, advancing to his bedside, shouted hysterically:

"'You wretch! What will the neighbors say at your coming home drunk last night?'

"'But, my dear, nobody saw me,' the dentist protested.

"'Nobody saw you! What if nobody did see you? You know well enough they all heard the way I carried on when you got back.'"

No Bugs in Hers.

Brown—I see they've got the Baraca in our Sunday school.

Mrs. Brown—How queer some people are. I never did like insects.

PRINTING,

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION

SAFFORD THE GUARDIAN

Condensed Statement of the Condition of

THE GILA VALLEY BANK & TRUST CO.

As Made to the State Bank Comptroller
At the Close of Business, Oct. 31, 1914

RESOURCES			LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts		$1,255,246.65	Capital Paid In	$100,000.00
Overdrafts		9,543.11	Surplus Fund	100,000.00
Banking Houses		67,307.53	Undivided Profits	34,015.97
Furniture and Fixtures		1,077.60	Reserved for Interest on Time Deposits	6,951.77
United States Bonds		40,000.00	Loan Contingent Fund	3,738.46
Other Bonds, Stocks and Securities		136,521.25		
Expenses and Interest paid on deposits		39,572.05		
Due from Banks	$655,173.90			
Cash on Hand	302,842.57	958,016.47	Deposits	2,262,578.46
		$2,507,284.66		$2,507,284.66

RESERVE, 42.3 PER CENT

THATCHER NEWS

W. A. Moody returned to Phoenix Monday morning. He was accompanied by his daughter, Dela, who went over to attend the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Clawson are the proud parents of a fine new baby girl who came to their home last week.

The boy scouts, under the leadership of D. B. Jones, went on a hike to the mountains Friday afternoon, returning Sunday.

Heber Layton and family have returned from California, where they have been living the past year, hoping that a change of climate would improve their health. They made the trip, both ways, by team and have come back much improved. Their many friends are glad to welcome them home again.

The Academy basket ball team has gone to Phoenix to play with the Phoenix high school. They expect to play with the Tempe and Mesa teams before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Pace and daughter, Annie, left Saturday morning to attend the fair at Phoenix.

Oscar Brown, of El Paso, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Cynthia Layton, this week.

Ralph Bilby and wife have gone to Tucson for the year. Mr. Bilby will enter the University, while Mrs. Bilby will teach a district school at Robinson.

Maurice Mickelson made a business trip to Morenci the latter part of the week, returning Sunday.

Grandma Fife has been very ill this week.

Mrs. Sarah Mortensen has gone to Mesa to visit with relatives and expects to take in the fair.

The Academy base ball team went to Globe Thursday evening to play against the Globe high school. The game Friday resulted in five to two in favor of Globe. The game Saturday was a tie. They expect to play the tie game at Tucson next spring.

Miss Amy Moody, of Thatcher, was married last week to Lorin Adams, of Safford. The ceremony took place in the Solomonville Hotel, Bishop Merrill, of Pima, officiating.

The month-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee Wixom, died Saturday morning from whooping cough. Services were held at the home Saturday afternoon.

The Relief Society is preparing to have a bazaar on Thanksgiving.

PIMA

Mrs. Lizzie Allred is here from Miami to put her little daughter, Milmo, in the district school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Boyle and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Webb left Monday morning in Mr. Boyle's automobile for Phoenix, where they will attend the State fair.

Dave Beal, of Clifton, is in town visiting with his family.

The Boy Scouts of Pima went on a hike Friday and returned Sunday. They were accompanied by C. D. Davis, Fred Webb, Delbert and Seaman Merrill. They all reported having a fine time.

S. O. Williams is making some very noticeable improvements on his adobe house, just across the street from the depot.

Carl E. Nelson and sons are at work on the new concrete house of Mrs. Melina Curtis, of Eden, who expects to make her home in Pima as soon as her house is completed. She is having it built on the lot adjoining A. E. Packer's blacksmith shop.

Walter Despain has gone to Phoenix, taking the Academy basket ball boys in his car.

H. J. Anderson and family have some of their relatives from Utah visiting with them.

The primary association is preparing to have a fair this month.. They expect to have on exhibition the children's work which has been done during the summer month's.

The Seventies will give a dance in the pavilion Friday night. The proceeds are to be given to F. L. Wilson, who is in bad health.

Miss Eva Eakin, official court reporter of the Superior Court, was a visitor in town today.

Don't Delay Treating Your Cough

A slight cough often becomes serious, lungs get congested, bronchial tubes fill with mucous. Your vitality is reduced. You need Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey It soothes your irritated air passages, loosens mucous and makes your system resist colds. Give the baby and children Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. It's guaranteed to help them. Only 25 cents at your druggist. adv 38-4t

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A FINE IMPROVEMENT

The new cement sidewalk which has just been completed in front of Dr. Brockman's office, corner Tenth and K streets, and in front of the Safford Drug Company's warehouse and the lots of P. J. and Geo. P. Jacobson, are a great improvement to that section of the town. The work was done by John Parker.

F. L. Ginter and Vic Holding left yesterday for Phoenix to attend the fair.

Mrs. John Harper has opened a dressmaking parlor at the home of Mrs. M. J. E. Ringer on Tenth street.

J. M. Foster arrived here from Globe yesterday afternoon and will visit with his folks for a few days.

Horace Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Cooper, arrived here the first of the week from Texas and will probably locate in Safford.

Despondency Due to Indigestion

It is not at all surprising that persons who have indigestion become discouraged and despondent. Here are a few words of hope and cheer for them by Mrs. Blanche Bowers, Indiana, Pa. "For years my digestion was so poor that I could only eat the lightest foods. I tried everything that I heard of to get relief, but not until about a year ago when I saw Chamberlain's Tablets advertised and got a bottle of them, did I find the right treatment. I soon began to improve, and since taking a few bottles of them my digestion is fine." For sale by Safford Drug Co. adv 38 4t

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REPORT
OF THE CONDITION OF
THE BANK OF SAFFORD

At Safford, in the State of Arizona, at the close of business, October 31, 1914.

RESOURCES		
Loans and discounts, less due from directors		$245,939.03
Due from directors		3,500.00
Overdrafts		3,134.28
State, county and municipal bonds		21,000.00
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.		3,175.13
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		8,278.30
Real estate		1,000.00
Current expenses and taxes paid		3,695.11
Specie	$9,142.48	
Legal tender and national bank notes	11,576.00	
Exchanges for clearing	207.50	
Other cash items	351.99	
Due from state and national banks, approved reserve agents	35,646.39	
Due from state and national banks, not reserve agents	11,949.33	
		$68,873.69
Total		$358,595.54
LIABILITIES		
Capital stock paid in		$33,000.00
Surplus		20,000.00
Undivided profits		13,498.04
Individual deposits subject to check	$227,428.80	
Demand certificates of deposit	26,856.02	
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,668.41	
Due state and national banks	11,144.27	
		$267,097.50
Bills payable		25,000.00
Total		$358,595.54

State of Arizona, County of Graham, } ss.:

I, E. W. Clayton, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. W. CLAYTON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of November, 1914.

LEE N. STRATTON, Notary Public.
My commission expires Mar. 2, 1916.

Correct-Attest:
I. E. SOLOMON,
Z. C. PRINA,
J. R. WELKER,
Directors.

REPORT
OF THE CONDITION OF
THE CITIZENS BANK

At Thatcher, in the State of Arizona, at the close of business, Saturday, October 31, 1914.

RESOURCES		
Loans and discounts, less due from directors		$71,541.69
Due from directors		2,933.00
Overdrafts		80.80
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.		450.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		8,084.70
Real estate		4,500.00
Current expenses and taxes paid		3,142.61
Specie	$3,705.44	
Legal tender and national bank notes	743.00	
Exchanges for clearing	77.67	
Due from state and national banks, approved reserve agents	4,567.07	
Due from state and national banks, not reserve agents	2,901.42	
		$12,394.60
Total		$100,127.40
LIABILITIES		
Capital stock paid in		$18,000.00
Surplus		10,000.00
Undivided profits		3,070.86
Individual deposits subject to check	$41,300.54	
Time certificates of deposits	8,434.32	
Cashier's checks outstanding	4,321.68	
		$54,056.54
Bills rediscounted		15,000.00
Total		$100,127.40

State of Arizona, County of Graham. } ss.:

I, L. C. Snow, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. C. SNOW, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of November, 1914.

WILLIAM MCRAE, Notary Public.
My commission expires July 30, 1916.

Correct-Attest:
FRANK TYLER,
E. W. LAYTON,
Directors.